

H. B. No. 82: A bill to amend the election laws, was taken up.

The substitute offered by the Committee on Privileges and Elections was adopted, and the bill passed its several readings, and was ordered to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H. B. No. 129: A bill to economize in the matter of public printing, and to provide for the execution of the same by the State, was taken up.

Mr. Patton moved to lay the bill on the table.

On this motion the yeas and nays were had on the call of Mr. Glenn, and the motion prevailed by the following vote.

The following gentlemen voted in the affirmative:

Messrs. Anderson, Bernhardt of Rowan, Barrett, Bennett, Bettis, Bizzell, Boyd, Bryson, Cary, Dortch, Eatman, Erwin, Etheridge, Fields, Finger, Freeman, Gaither, Garrison, Gash, Greene, Haymore, Hill, Holt, Hurley, Johnston, Jones, Kendall, King, Latta, Martin, McCalop, McCubbins, McIver, McNeill, McRae, Means, Mendenhall, Mizell, Moffitt, Moring, Moseley, Norment, Oaksmith, Patton, Pinnix, Presson, Reid, Sharpe, Smith of Anson, Smith of Hyde, Spears, Stephenson, Stowe, Tate, Thompson of Lincoln, Walker of Richmond, Walker of Tyrrell, Wiley, Wood and Woodhouse—60.

The following gentlemen voted in the negative:

Messrs. Blythe, Bunn, Candler, Carson, Davis of Haywood, Dula, Glenn, Good, Lloyd, Moore, Munden, Newell, Trivett, Wheeler and White—15.

H. B. No. 165: A bill to secure the sufficiency of official bonds, was taken up.

Mr. Dula moved to postpone and make special order for Monday at 12 M.

The motion was rejected.

Mr. Lloyd moved to amend by exempting New Hanover from the provisions of the bill, and his motion was rejected.

Mr. Dula offered an amendment exempting the counties of Wilkes, Forsythe and Craven from the provisions of the bill, which amendment was rejected.